

Dr. John F. Patience

Dr. John Patience is a professor of Applied Swine Nutrition in the Department of Animal Science at Iowa State University, a position he has held since September of 2008. He is a native of Ontario, Canada and earned his Bachelors and Masters Degrees from the University of Guelph, and a Ph.D. from Cornell University. After his schooling, Patience served as the first President and CEO of the Prairie Swine Centre and its research farm for 21 years. At Iowa State, his research focuses on three themes: energy metabolism, ingredient evaluation and general feeding and management, all focused on improving financial returns to pork producers.

John has presented almost 300 invited talks at producer, allied industries and academic meetings in North and South America, Europe and Asia. He is a former President of the Canadian Society of Animal Science (CSAS) and of the Midwest Section of the American Society of Animal Science. He is a recipient of the ASAS Awards in Non-Ruminant Nutrition Research and in Animal Industry Service and the CSAS Award for Research in Nutrition or Meat Science. In 2010, he was elected a Fellow of CSAS.

John has three children and 2 grandchildren, all living in the Toronto area.